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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
10 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
11 AT TACOMA

12 JASON LEE SUTTON,

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 PIERCE COUNTY SHERIFF *et al.*,

16 Defendants.

Case No. C07-5327RBL/JKA

ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTIONS

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18 This Civil Rights action has been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge pursuant to Title 28  
19 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B). Before the court are two motions filed by plaintiff noted for July 18, 2008. The  
20 first motion is a motion for clarification as to who represents defendant Richard Odegard (Dkt. # 38). The  
21 court's file indicates Ronald E. Thompson represents this defendant. The court will not ask for  
22 clarification why another attorney is submitting discovery as plaintiff did not serve his motion on any of the  
23 counsel who have appeared on behalf of the named defendants.

24 When the court ordered this action served it sent an order to the parties indicating:

25 All original documents and papers submitted for consideration by the court in this case, are  
26 to be filed with the Clerk of this court. The originals of all such papers shall indicate in the  
27 upper righthand corner the name of the Magistrate Judge to whom the copies are to be  
28 delivered. The papers shall be accompanied by proof that such documents have been served  
upon counsel for the opposing party (or upon any party acting pro se). The proof shall  
show the day and manner of service and may be written acknowledgment of service, by  
certificate of a member of the bar of this court, or by affidavit of the person who served the

1 papers.

2 (Dkt. # 12). The court will not entertain motions that have not been served on opposing counsel.

3 Plaintiff's next motion is a motion for a protective order regarding discovery (Dkt. # 39). Plaintiff  
4 did not serve this motion on any opposing party. The court will not entertain the motion at this time.  
5 Plaintiff will need to re-file and serve all parties. Motions (Dkt. # 38 and 39) are stricken without  
6 prejudice.

7 The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to plaintiff and counsel for defendants.

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9 DATED this 24 day of July, 2008.

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11 /S/ J. Kelley Arnold  
12 J. Kelley Arnold  
13 United States Magistrate Judge  
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